



Yeovil Town Supporters Society Ltd (Glovers Trust)

Minutes of meeting, 13th June 2018

The 94 Club, Yeovil

Present

Stuart Burrell (SB) Brendon Owen (BO - Minutes) Terri Burt (TB) Dean Mountain (DM)
Simon Brimble (SBr) Tom Axe (TA)

Apologies

Lee Doel (LD) Rod Jones (RJ)

Minutes of previous meeting and Matters arising

SB welcomed those present and gave apologies for Rod Jones & Lee Doel. The minutes of the meeting of 16th May 2018 were agreed.

SB has set up the new register for members for 2018. The new format is easily navigated with less repeat details having to be imputed.

DM stated that forty-four standing orders had previously gone through successfully but there had been ten failures of those listed on the members register.

DM has spoken to Lee Doel regarding his continuance as Board Secretary. Whilst Lee expressed a wish to continue, albeit perhaps one meeting in three, his domestic situation was difficult and it was thought best to continue to look for an alternative Secretary. DM would speak with Lee again.

DM advised that he had received a refund from Supporters Direct following the payment twice made to them.

TA had posted the Board's response to the Big Ten Challenge.

Finance Update

DM advised that there is a balance of £6871.03. The accounts are due at the end of June and whilst there are some months in which to submit them, DM said that he would get them in much earlier this year.

Membership

SB advised that the amended membership application form had now been completed to include the requirements for data storage. The new register is ready to be used and renewals and new membership can now proceed. On the question of membership cards for those that request them, SB would investigate the cost of printing some cards through Vistaprint.

Action: SB to explore generation of membership cards through Vistaprint.

Alliance Group

TB and SB attended the monthly meeting on 13th of June 2018 and reported various points, including the Trust presence at Huish Park. The Club have dispensed with their terms and conditions over payment and have offered to purchase and erect some type of Gazebo free of charge.

The position of SLO had given rise to the view that it was a large job for one person and that perhaps Paul Hadlow of the Green & Whites, together with his partner might be suitable candidates. The Alliance Group will consider the applications and make the final decision.

The Big Ten Challenge was discussed and a printed update was circulated, an updated copy will be published as part of the Alliance Group minutes for the June meeting.

Groups have been asked to submit questions for Mr David Lee regarding the covenants ahead of the July Alliance Group Meeting.

In response to the Club's request for groups to submit names of people with expertise who may wish to assist the Club only two had been put forward. Both of them were Trust members, Terri Burt and Brendan O'Connell. TB spoke to David Mills following the meeting and has agreed to liaise with him regarding the retail shop and provide ideas for a meeting on Wednesday 20th June 2018. The Club have requested that Brendan O'Connell contacts David Mills to follow-up the catering workstream.

Family Fun Day

It was agreed to participate in the Yeovil Town FC fun day on 21st July 2018 by providing a stall with merchandise and opportunity to sign up members. The Club have asked if possibly two volunteers from each group be available to assist with various activities. It was agreed to seek help from members in the forthcoming half yearly newsletter.

Any Other Business

DM requested a stock check in order that he can finalise the accounts. BO agreed to do it.

Action: BO to undertake stock check.

Despite an email being sent by SB to Marston's Brewery, no contact has yet been made with the new Manager of the Arrow public house. SB will try and see him when he next visits the Arrow.

Action: SB to continue to look to establish contact with the new landlord at the Arrow.

A new radio station is being set up, possibly in one of the Ranger's cabins at Nine Springs. Its aim is to be a community-based station and it was felt that the Trust might be able to get some air time with them. SBr would look into it.

Action: SBr to explore opportunities to gain publicity via the new local radio station.

Date of next Meeting: 12th July 2018 at 7.30pm.

Meeting closed 9.35pm.